

ALLIES  
GAINING  
SLOWLY

Make Progress at Several  
Points on Line, Particular-  
ly Around Ypres and  
South of Arras

AND BETWEEN AISNE  
AND ARGONNE

Berlin Admits Retirement  
of the German-Austrian  
Troops Before the New  
Russian Forces

From the west and from the east Ger-  
man reverses are reported to-day. Ger-  
many acknowledged a check in Russian  
Poland, but concerning the great battle  
in Flanders preserves silence. The only  
official word received by midday to-day  
was from the French, who again made  
definite claims to further progress.

Not since the struggle along the North  
sea began a fortnight ago has Germany  
made a statement upon which may be  
based judgment as to the course of  
events. The best information available  
indicates that notwithstanding dauntless  
attacks and heavy sacrifices of life, the  
Germans are further from the coast than  
they were when the battle began.

One great factor upon which the allies  
build their hopes of eventual triumph is  
apparently beginning to tell. That is the  
almost inexhaustible supply of men  
that may be drawn from the vast re-  
sources of the British and Russian empires,  
which relief may be called upon in time  
to crush the Germans, as Grant did in  
the South by his overwhelming numeri-  
cal superiority. In the east, this influ-  
ence is seemingly already being felt and  
to it is ascribed the German reverse in  
Russian Poland.

Meanwhile the British, who have de-  
scribed their forces now on the continent  
as merely an advance guard, are  
training at home an army of 1,500,000,  
of whom 600,000 are from the colonies.

Today's French statement, while  
again optimistic in tone, gave little spe-  
cific information. London ascribes the  
lull in fighting of the last few days to  
the fact that the opposing armies along  
the Belgian frontier are utterly ex-  
hausted by the incessant fighting day  
and night. There is no indication, how-  
ever, that Germany intends to abandon  
her fight for the possession of the North  
sea coast. Unofficial reports have it that  
reinforcements are being poured in  
from every part along the battle line  
where they can be spared.

Paris, Oct. 29.—A French official an-  
nouncement was given out this after-  
noon that "Yesterday the French troops  
made progress at several points on the  
line, but particularly around Ypres, and  
to the south of Arras. There is noth-  
ing new on the front between Nieuport  
and Dixmude," the statement says, "but  
between Aisne and Argonne we took  
possession of some trenches occupied by  
the enemy and not one of the attacks  
made by the enemy were successful. We  
advanced also in the forest of Apremont."

BERLIN ADMITS  
RETIREMENT  
German-Austrian Troops Fell Back Be-  
fore New Russian Forces—Belgians  
Reinforced.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 29.—To-day's  
official wireless from Berlin to the Ger-  
man embassy supplements last night's  
official announcement of the retirement  
of German-Austrian troops before the  
new Russian forces, and says the Bel-  
gians have been reinforced in the fight-  
ing between Nieuport and Dixmude,  
which was continued yesterday.

PRINZIP GIVEN 20 YEARS.

Four Other Conspirators Sentenced to  
Be Hanged.

Sarajevo, Bosnia, Oct. 29.—via Amer-  
sterdam and London.—Judgment was  
passed yesterday on the assassins of  
Archduke Francis Ferdinand and his  
wife, the Duchess of Hohenberg.

Gavril Princip, the actual assassin, re-  
ceived with a sentence of imprisonment  
for 20 years. Four of the conspirators  
were sentenced to death by hanging, one  
to life imprisonment, two, including  
Mladjo Gabcinovic, who threw a bomb  
at the archduke, but which did not ex-  
plode, to 20 years, one to 16 years, one  
to 12 years, two to 10 years, one to  
seven years, and two to three years.

The other defendants were acquitted.

CRUISER EMDEN  
GETS TWO MORE

Torpedoed Russian Cruiser Jemtech and  
also a French Destroyer—Both  
Sunk.

Tokio, Oct. 29.—The British embassy  
here that the German cruiser Emden,  
sailing the Japanese flag and disguised by  
the addition of a fourth conical stack,  
entered Penang, a British possession in  
the Straits settlement, and torpedoed a  
son, chief of police.

Russian cruiser Jemtech and a French  
destroyer. Both were sunk.

STEAMER SUNK.

Reported One Sent to Bottom Off North  
Coast of Ireland.

Fleetwood, England, via London, Oct.  
29.—Word was received to-day through  
a trawler arriving here that another  
steamer had been sunk off Malin head,  
off the north coast of Ireland. No de-  
tails are available.

Swedish Steamer Sunk.

Stockholm, via London, Oct. 29.—The  
Swedish steamer Ornen, bound from  
Portugal for Gothenburg, Spain, hit a  
mine Monday in the North sea and sank  
off Cuxhaven. Five of the crew were  
drowned.

COMPLETE TEN LIGHTHOUSES.

Canada Has System of Towers on Puget  
Sound Bay Route.

Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 29.—Ten lighthouse  
towers have been erected on the Puget  
Sound bay route by the Canadian gov-  
ernment, seven on the Hudson straits  
and three in the bay. The steamers  
Arnamore and Minto, which took mat-  
erial and men north last spring, have  
returned and report the work completed.  
Next summer the lamps will be lighted  
to guide shipping to Port Churchill at  
the southwestern extremity of Hudson  
bay.

Shipping facilities will be ready at  
this point to handle freight from the  
Canadian west delivered over the Hud-  
son Bay railway which is nearing com-  
pletion for the Canadian government and  
which will connect Hudson bay with the  
existing railway systems of the west.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION CLOSSES.

State Organization Elects Old Board of  
Officers at Brattleboro.

Brattleboro, Oct. 29.—The last day of  
the 40th annual convention of the Ver-  
mont Woman's Christian Temperance  
union yesterday was marked by the re-  
election of the entire old board of offi-  
cers at the morning session. They are:  
President, Mrs. Minnie L. Pearson of  
Orleans; vice-president at large, Mrs. G.  
E. Davidson of Newfane; corresponding  
secretary, Miss Elsie L. Pease of Swanton;  
recording secretary, Mrs. Ellen R.  
Turner of St. Johnsbury; treasurer, Mrs.  
E. Mead Denny of Montpelier; auditor,  
Mrs. Alice M. Richardson of Montpelier.

No invitation was received from any  
delegation to hold the next state con-  
vention and the matter was left to be  
decided by the officers.

Prior to the election of officers, which  
was the concluding business of the morn-  
ing session, there were reports of su-  
perintendents of departments and a ju-  
bilee hour in which the county presidents  
reported the net gains in membership in  
their respective territories.

The afternoon session was marked  
principally by the election of delegates  
to the national convention. Last even-  
ing there was a medal contest in which  
the contestants were Edith Adams, Du-  
sotly Hubbard, Marion Parkhurst, Pearl  
Wright, Beatrice Scovell and Margaret  
Wellman, all of Brattleboro.

Mrs. Mary B. Wilson of Philadelphia,  
who was to have given an address at  
the evening session, was unable to be  
present and, instead, the president's ad-  
dress, which had been put over because  
of lack of time, from Tuesday morning,  
was given.

TONAWANDA HAS BIG FIRE.

Between 3,000,000 and 4,000,000 Feet of  
Lumber Destroyed.

Tonawanda, N. Y., Oct. 29.—Fire last  
night swept the lumber yards owned by  
Brady brothers here, destroying between  
3,000,000 and 4,000,000 feet of lumber val-  
ued at about \$200,000.

The plant of the Adamite Abrasive  
company was completely destroyed, a  
loss of \$20,000. It was located four  
blocks from the Brady brothers lumber  
yard, entirely out of the path of sparks.  
The police and fire chiefs believe it also  
was started by an incendiary. At 1:30  
both fires were burning fiercely.

In backing out a string of tank cars  
filled with gasoline on Erie switch en-  
gines ran down Ralph Abbott, 35 years  
old. His left leg was cut off.

William Mauth, foreman of one of the  
burned plants, is missing. It is believed  
he perished in the flames. The police  
are looking for a man seen lighting  
matches in the plant of the Adamite  
Abrasive Co. shortly before the fire was  
discovered.

HUSTIS IS RE-ELECTED.

Annual Meeting of the Boston & Maine  
Stockholders.

Boston, Oct. 29.—At the adjourned  
meeting of the Boston & Maine Railroad  
Co. here yesterday the board of directors  
was increased from 12 to 14. Five old  
directors resigned and five new trustees  
agreed upon by the federal authorities  
and C. S. Cook of Portland, Me., and  
E. R. Eastman of Exeter, N. H., were  
added to the board. Frank P. Carpenter,  
one of the trustees, was a member of  
the old board.

The increase in the number of direc-  
tors was made upon the motion of  
Judge M. P. Knowlton, chairman of the  
trustees. The new directorate is made  
up as follows: James H. Hustis, Fred-  
eric C. Dumas, Samuel Carr, James M.  
Frederick, Charles W. Roworth, James  
D. Upham, George H. Frost, Frank P.  
Carpenter, Margery P. Knowlton, James  
L. Doherty, Henry B. Day, Charles P.  
Hall, Charles S. Cook and E. G. East-  
man. The directors who resigned were  
Richard Olney, A. W. Sullivan, Louis  
Tuttle, E. F. Green and Alexander Loch-  
rane.

SWEAR POLICE AIDED CROOKS.

Additional Evidence of Graft Comes to  
Light in Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Investigators of the  
city council crime commission yesterday  
gave testimony, under oath, to support  
their charges that certain police detec-  
tives were working in collusion with  
known thieves, Ben Schall, John P.  
Mortimer and Paul R. O'Connor testified  
that, posing as pickpockets, they had  
been used and bargained for protection  
by Michael J. Mulvey, and Harry E. Power,  
detective sergeants.

The investigators testified before the  
police trial board, where Mulvey and  
Power are having a hearing on charges  
of grafting brought by James A. Gil-  
christ, a former settlement, and torpeding a  
son, chief of police.

NEW HAITIAN  
OUTBREAK

Revolutionists Attack Pres-  
ident's Brother When He  
Lands at Port au Prince

ENCOUNTERS ARE  
CONTINUED TO-DAY

Government Forces Opposed  
the Rebels but Were  
Driven Back

Port au Prince, Haiti, Oct. 29.—A se-  
rious revolutionary outbreak occurred  
last night at Port au Prince, resulting  
from the landing of Charles Zamor,  
brother of the president of the republic.  
There was shooting in the city streets  
throughout the night and the encounters  
were continued to-day. Members of the  
military have taken refuge in foreign  
consulates.

The Netherlands steamer Prince Wil-  
lem came into port last night with  
President Zamor and his brother,  
Charles, aboard. Charles came ashore  
and his landing was a signal for the  
outbreak. Government forces opposed  
the rebels, but were driven back and  
compelled to evacuate their positions.

A force of rebels, under Davila  
Theodore, the leader of the present re-  
bellion, and a man who has been pro-  
claimed as president of the revolution-  
ists, has occupied Marchais, 30 miles  
northeast of Port au Prince, and is now  
marching on the city.

GREAT CROWD  
DILLINGHAM

Largest Audience of the Campaign Greeted  
the Senator at Rutland  
Rally.

Rutland, Oct. 29.—"It would have been  
very easy for me to have fallen in with  
popular sentiment on the Lorimer mat-  
ter and found him guilty, but I could  
not have slept with my conscience there-  
after."

"I preferred to face my people with a  
consciousness of having done right  
and take the consequences rather than  
continue to occupy my seat knowing I  
had done wrong."

With these simple words, uttered in  
a voice trembling with emotion and at  
the conclusion of an address that held  
nearly 1,200 people enthralled in the  
sweep of a masterly review of Republi-  
can triumphs of the past 14 years, Sen-  
ator William P. Dillingham laid fairly  
before the people of Rutland the whole  
inwardness of the Lorimer matter.

There was a moment's pause as he  
turned to his seat, then the audience,  
almost as one man, burst forth into a  
ringing tribute of applause that con-  
cluded the most remarkable rally of the  
present campaign and stood for a spon-  
taneous vindication that could not be  
mistaken.

Not only was the Shrine theatre and  
its spacious galleries filled with eager  
listeners, but a hundred or more stood  
in the rear of the auditorium or in the  
aisles upstairs. It was surely high tide  
of the present campaign and welled  
anything seen in this city or reported  
from other parts of the state.

DILLINGHAM COMING TO BARRE.

Will Speak in Barre Opera House Mon-  
day Evening.

Republicans of Barre and Montpelier  
will join in a rousing rally at the Barre  
opera house Monday evening, according  
to arrangements completed to-day. A  
parade with all of the old-time political  
rally fixings will be one of the features  
of the affair. Senator William P. Dil-  
lingham is to be the guest of honor as  
well as the speaker of the evening. Two  
bands of music, the Barre Citizens' band  
and the Montpelier Military band, have  
been engaged for the occasion and they  
will figure prominently in the big parade  
preceding the speaking. Enthusiasm  
over the parade and rally began to make  
itself manifest to-day. There will be  
red-fire demonstrations along the street  
while the parade is in progress and an  
effort will be made to preserve all of  
the features of the old-fashioned rally.

Plans for even-elect election things in  
Barre had their origin in the desire of  
Senator Dillingham's friends in Barre to  
give him an opportunity to reply to  
some of the attacks made on him in this  
city within the past fortnight. The sen-  
ator was booked to address a meeting in  
Montpelier on the night before election,  
but at the earnest solicitation of his  
friends here he decided to change his  
plans. Among men of other political  
faiths a desire for fair play has promp-  
ted a feeling that Senator Dillingham  
should be given a hearing in Barre, in-  
stead of being asked to leave the city  
after having taken a sting at the senator's  
recent speech wherever they have appeared  
before political audiences here. The Barre  
Town Republican committee has ar-  
ranged for a special train from the "hill"  
and automobiles will bring a large num-  
ber of Montpelier people to the rally.

MICHAEL SERAGO IS GUILTY.

Removes Verdict of Second Degree Mur-  
der in Martin Case.

New York, Oct. 29.—A verdict of mur-  
der in the second degree was returned  
by a jury in supreme court last night  
against Michael Serago, 30 years old,  
charged with killing William G. Martin,  
a Toronto milliner, in this city on Aug.  
11, 1913. Serago is serving a life sentence  
for his share in the crime.  
Martin was strangled to death in Se-  
rage's room. His assailants fled after  
they had killed him. Serago was ar-  
rested a short time ago in Denver.

BARRE WILL RECEIVE  
OVER \$9,000 FROM STATE

Ranks Among the Highest in the State  
in the Size of Its School Tax—  
Montpelier Gets \$472.01.

From the state treasurer's office at  
Montpelier early next week will be sent  
out to all the towns in the state funds  
due them according to the distribution  
of consolidation of the state school funds  
prepared by State Superintendent of  
Education Mason S. Stone. There is a  
total of \$293,037.23 to be distributed this  
year for school work, the amount being  
made up as follows: State school  
tax of 8 per cent, \$192,962.69; income  
permanent school fund, \$50,074.55; \$50,-  
000 appropriation. Last year the amount  
distributed to the towns was \$275,492.07  
or nearly \$25,000 less than this year.

St. Johnsbury in Caledonia county  
will receive the largest amount of any  
town, \$21,309.91. St. Johnsbury expend-  
ed 89 per cent of the grand list in school  
work, according to the figures. Burling-  
ton spent 46 per cent and will receive  
\$841.36; Rutland spent 48 per cent  
and will receive \$1,118.16; Montpelier  
spent 48 per cent and will receive \$472.01.  
Barre City ranks among the highest  
with 74 per cent and will receive from  
the state the sum of \$9,381.66.

A list of the counties and the sum  
each will receive to be divided among  
the towns according to their rating is as  
follows:

Addison	\$14,692.15
Bennington	9,425.91
Caledonia	39,267.80
Chittenden	15,638.15
Essex	5,170.74
Franklin	18,644.37
Grand Isle	7,356.46
Lamoille	11,836.29
Orange	28,011.29
Orleans	28,178.77
Rutland	21,119.35
Washington	38,236.32
Windham	17,399.71
Windsor	36,516.76

ANOTHER CASE FOUND.

Clara Holmes of Thurston Place Has  
Infantile Paralysis.

A fifth case of infantile paralysis has  
been discovered in the city and all means  
of precaution have been adopted to keep  
the disease from spreading in the im-  
mediate neighborhood where the patient is  
located. City Health Officer Dr. J. W.  
Stewart has been notified of the discov-  
ery. There is no reason to believe that  
the disease will spread and to allay any  
feelings of alarm that may exist, the  
authorities point to the fact that three  
of the other four patients ill with the  
malady have completely recovered and  
the patients did not contract the malady.

The latest case is in the family of  
Harold Holmes, a granite polisher, who  
lives in Thurston place. Clara Holmes,  
the 12-year-old daughter of the house,  
was a student at the Brook street school.  
Monday she told the 4th grade teacher  
that she was ill and complained of a  
peculiar feeling in the lower limbs. The  
teacher sent her home and on the follow-  
ing morning her case was diagnosed and  
the house was quarantined. The authori-  
ties do not feel that other students in  
the school have been exposed. Supt. E.  
M. Roscoe stated this afternoon that it  
had not been thought necessary to fumig-  
ate the school building. The present case  
is the first that has developed in the  
city schools. Four other cases were  
very small children.

STARVED HIS FAMILY.

David Ploof Arraigned in City Court for  
Non-Support.

Burlington, Oct. 29.—David Ploof was  
arraigned in city court yesterday for  
non-support of his principal wife and  
children. The principal wife, Ploof, was  
arrested Monday at his home on Convent  
square where he was asleep and appar-  
ently under the influence of intoxicating  
liquor while his wife and children out-  
side tried to gain entrance which they  
did not succeed in doing until a police-  
man broke in the door.

Mrs. Ploof testified yesterday that her  
husband told her that he was going  
to the city to get a job. She said that  
she was alone and that she was starved  
and that she was unable to get any food  
for her children. She also testified that  
she had been beaten by her husband and  
that she was afraid to leave him.

The court, after hearing Ploof's case,  
gave the man a talk on what was going  
to happen to him if he didn't get back  
home and provide for his family. He  
then continued the case, allowing Ploof  
to go on his own recognizance but with  
the strict understanding that he must  
take care of his family and that if he  
failed to do so, he would be arrested  
again and his children would be taken  
from him and placed in the care of the  
state.

DEATH OF MRS. FLINT.

End Came After Operation at Heaton  
Hospital Yesterday.

Mrs. Lenette A. Flint, aged 57 years,  
passed away at the Heaton hospital in  
Montpelier last night at 11:30 o'clock.  
She had been suffering from cancer of  
the stomach for some time. She was  
recently operated on at the Heaton hos-  
pital and had been recovering. She was  
born in Vermont and was married to  
Mr. A. Flint. She was a member of the  
First Baptist church of Montpelier.

IN COUNTY COURT.

Two Divorces Granted at Yesterday's  
Session of Court.

In county court yesterday divorces  
were granted Jennie Emma from John  
Emma, intolerable severity, and Sarah  
Foreman from William Foreman, intol-  
erable severity. R. A. Hoar appeared  
for the petitioner in the last case and  
Theriot and Hunt for the defendant.

William thought was arrested yester-  
day afternoon by Chief of Police Barker  
on a warrant issued by Grand Juror  
Theriot, charging him with non-sup-  
port. Mr. Clough appeared in city court  
later in the afternoon and pleaded not  
guilty. The case was continued until  
November 14 for hearing. Clough was  
at one time a member of the local branch  
of the Salvation Army.

OBJECT TO  
DISCHARGE

Creditors Protest in Case of  
E. A. Prindle as Individual  
in C. H. Kendrick & Co.

NO DECISION IS  
RENDERED

Other Legal Matters in the  
Montpelier Courts  
To-day

Before W. N. Theriot in bankruptcy  
court at Montpelier yesterday a petition  
for the discharge of E. A. Prindle as an  
individual in the bankruptcy case of  
C. H. Kendrick & Co., was reviewed.  
Creditors in the case filed an objection  
to the petition, a demurrer was filed and  
the objections were organized before Ref-  
eree Theriot. No decision was ren-  
dered.

In probate court before Judge Frank  
J. Martin, William H. Mack settled his  
account as administrator of the estate  
of the late Charles H. Mack. Mathias  
Cannon was appointed administrator of  
the estate of the late Patrick Cannon of  
Northfield and the will of Mrs. R. N. T.  
Vail, late of Roxbury, was probated.

Philip McLaughlin and Joseph St.  
John each pleaded guilty to first of-  
fenses in Montpelier city court this fore-  
noon, following their arrests yesterday  
afternoon. McLaughlin accepted a sen-  
tence of 20 days in the county jail in  
preference to paying a fine, while St.  
John paid a minimum fine and costs of  
\$5.00. George McMahon pleaded guilty to  
a third offense and was sentenced to  
serve 30 days in jail and to pay a \$15  
fine with costs of \$4.50. He was ar-  
rested Wednesday noon at the Central  
Vermont station on a complaint made  
by Frank Murzey, a baggage agent.

LORIMER PLEADS  
GUILTY TO LARCENY

Young Man Appears Repentant and Is  
Sentenced to Only 60 Days in  
Jail.

Robert Lorimer, the young man who  
was detained by Bennington officers at  
the request of Barre police headquarters  
yesterday, was accompanied to Barre  
this morning by Chief Sinclair and ar-  
ranged before Magistrate H. W. Scott  
in city court this forenoon on a larceny  
charge to which he pleaded guilty. Grand  
Juror William Wishart's review of  
the facts alleged in the case were  
corroborated by Lorimer himself, who  
appeared to be deeply repentant of his  
misdoings. The young man admitted  
entering the room occupied by John Mc-  
Courtie at a boarding house on Central  
street and told of taking a watch, a  
mileage and money. Later, he continued,  
he disposed of the mileage in Barre, and  
sold the watch to a Montpelier dealer.  
Lorimer said his parents live in Hard-  
wick, told of being convicted for a simi-  
lar offense in Concord, N. H., four years  
ago, and promised to amend his ways if  
the court would temper its sentence with  
leniency. Judge Scott suspended the  
customary house of correction sentence  
imposed in subsequent offenses and gave  
the respondent not more than 60 days  
and not less than 50 days in the county  
jail at Montpelier.

Lorimer was waiting for the Barre  
chief when the latter arrived in Ben-  
nington yesterday afternoon. He told  
the authorities there that he was "down  
and out" and willing to go back to  
Barre and face a charge. The Mont-  
pelier man to whom Lorimer went with  
the watch while en route to Wells River  
paid the fugitive \$5 for the timepiece.  
The watch was recovered to-day and the  
dealer has charged \$5 on the experience  
side of his ledger. The mileage has not  
been recovered, as the local broker did  
not know the number and therefore  
could not identify it among a large num-  
ber of other mileage books.

Owing to the absence of State Attor-  
ney J. Ward Carver, cases against Mrs.  
Eugenia Ordway and Miguel Lapra of  
Granvilleville, charged with selling intoxi-  
cating liquor illegally, were continued  
this morning until Nov. 4. Both re-  
spondents appeared in court and were  
represented by R. A. Hoar. They were  
arrested, it will be recalled, as the result  
of a raid conducted in upper Granville-  
ville Monday night by Deputy Sheriff  
Dennis Deshaune and local officers. Each  
respondent is under bail of \$500.

WEDDING AT ST. JOHNSBURY.

St. Johnsbury, Oct. 29.—A large wed-  
ding reception was given last evening at  
the home of Mrs. Celia Bailey in honor  
of her daughter and husband, Mr. and  
Mrs. Frank E. Wilson, whose wedding  
ceremony at 8 was witnessed by a com-  
pany of about 50 relatives and was per-  
formed by Rev. George A. Martin of  
the town Methodist church. The groom is  
a native of Hardwick but now holds a  
position in Bristol, N. H. The bride was  
Miss Mildred Bailey, a popular young  
lady of the town. Miss Eva  
Hewitt of St. Johnsbury and the groom's  
sister, Miss Grace Wilson of Hardwick,  
were bridesmaids. Fairman Crane of  
Hardwick and Lester McPherson were  
ushers. A reception followed the cere-  
mony with about 150 guests.

McGOWEN—GLIDDEN.

Brattleboro, Oct. 29.—Miss Elizabeth  
Glidden, daughter of Charles L. Glidden  
of this town, and William McGowen of  
Baltimore, Md., were married here this  
morning.

The bride is a granddaughter of the  
late Judge George Kim, chief justice of  
the supreme court of New York for many  
years, and of the late Judge Charles L.  
Glidden, formerly chief justice of the  
supreme court of Ohio. Her husband is  
secretary to President J. H. Woodbridge  
of the Consolidated Coal Co. of Balti-  
more.

Mr. and Mrs. McGowen left for a trip  
through the White mountains and to  
other places of interest in New England.

CLARK—PARKER.  
Pretty Autumn Wedding at Home of  
Bride Last Evening.

A pretty autumn wedding took place  
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman N.  
Parker, 25 Spaulding street, last even-  
ing at 8 o'clock when their younger  
daughter, Miss Helen Parker, was united  
in marriage to Douglas Alexander Clark,  
Rev. W. J. M. Beattie, rector of the  
Church of the Good Shepherd, being the  
officiating clergyman. The ceremony was  
performed under an arch of evergreen  
and hydrangea from the keystone of  
which was suspended a wedding bell of  
hydrangea and ferns. About the house  
were attractive decorations of barberry  
and hydrangea.

The bride was attended by her sister,  
Miss Ruth Parker, and Percy Clark, a  
brother of the groom, acted as best man.  
Little Philip Clark, a nephew of the  
groom, was the ring-bearer, the double  
ring service being used, and Dorothy  
Leith acted as flower girl. Allen Clark,  
also a nephew of the groom, was the  
door-tender. An improvised altar under  
the arch added to the charm of the  
scene, and as the bride party marched  
in for the ceremony, an aisle was formed  
by 12 bridesmaids, gowned in delicate  
shades. They were: Misses Elizabeth  
Carson, Beatrice Callaghan, Bernice  
Whitcomb, Gladys Bradford, Ruth War-  
termann, Jennie Ewen, Christina Reid,  
Alice Minard, Martha Smith, Katherine  
Abern and Mrs. Jessie Bugbee and Mrs.  
Ralph Nelson. George Parker, a brother  
of the bride, played the wedding march  
from Wagner's "Lohengrin" and the  
bride strains by Mendelssohn. Nearly  
75 relatives and friends of the couple  
witnessed the ceremony.

A gown of white crepe de chene with  
a veil caught up with orange blossoms  
was worn by the bride. She carried  
white roses. Her maid of honor wore  
pink silk and carried pink carnations.  
Little Miss Leith was dressed in white.  
After the ceremony an informal wedding  
reception was held. The bride and  
groom were assisted in receiving by Mr.  
and Mrs. Parker. A number of the  
bride's young women friends served  
dainty refreshments to the guests. Mr.  
and Mrs. Clark left later in the evening  
on a two weeks' bridal tour to New  
York and other points. They will be at  
home, 25 Spaulding street, after Dec. 1.

The bride is a prominent Barre girl  
who has many friends. Formerly, she  
attended Spaulding high school, and in  
recent years she has been employed at  
the Eaton studio. Mr. Clark is a popu-  
lar young man of the city who has  
always made his home here. For several  
years he has been employed in the me-  
chanical department of The Times.  
Both the bride and groom are prominent  
in the social life of the city.

Among the out of town people present  
at the wedding were: Mrs. D. W. Dou-  
glas and son, Robert, of St. Johns, P. Q.;  
Mrs. Wallace Goakes of Clinton, N. Y.;  
George Parker of Hartford, Conn.

WILCOX—SLAYTON.

Quiet Wedding at Home of Bridegroom  
Because of His Illness.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Wil-  
cox in Moretown last evening the wed-  
ding of Miss Martha E. Slayton, eldest  
daughter